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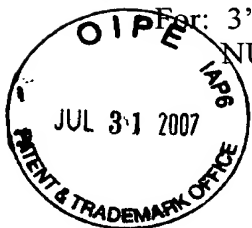
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Respectfully submitted,

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Date:

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Signature:

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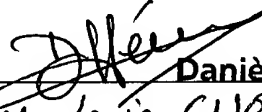
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Date:

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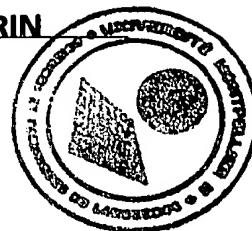
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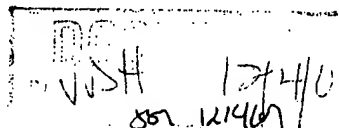
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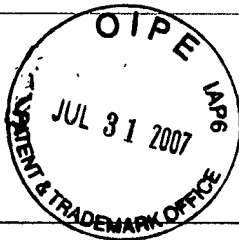
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Novirio Pharmaceuticals LimitedForeign Address: c/o Walker Secretaries, Walker House, Mary Street, Grand Cayman, Cayman IslandsDomestic Address: 125 Cambridge Park Dr.City: Cambridge State: MA ZIP: 02140

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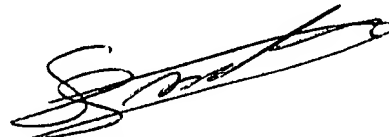
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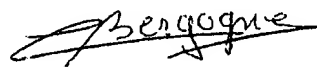
WHEREAS, Centre National Da La Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), a public agency operating under the supervisory authority of France's Ministry of Research and Technology, located at 3, Rue Michel-ange 75794, Paris, cedex 16, France desires to purchase same;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid by Centre National Da La Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, I, Gilles Gosselin, have sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto Centre National Da La Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), in and for the United States and its territories and for foreign countries, the entire right, title and interest in and to said provisional application and said application for United States Letters Patent, in and to the invention therein set forth and in and to any patent which may issue on said application for United States Letters Patent or any application, reissue, renewal, division, continuation or continuation-in-part thereof; or any foreign counterpart thereof or any other application that claims priority to the above-application, and I hereby bind myself, my heirs, legal representatives, administrators and assigns properly to execute without further consideration, any and all applications, petitions, oaths and assignments or other papers and instruments which may be necessary in order to carry into full force and effect the sale, assignment, transfer and conveyance hereby made or intended to be made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of
July, 2001.



Gilles Gosselin



Witness
Bergogne Marie-Christine

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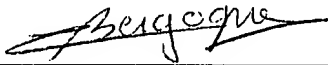
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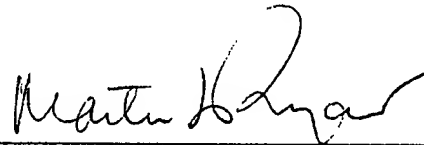
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Martin L. Bryant

On this 16 day of July, 2001, before me, a notary public, came Martin L. Bryant to me known and known to be the individual described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he duly acknowledged the same to be his free act and deed.



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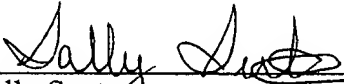
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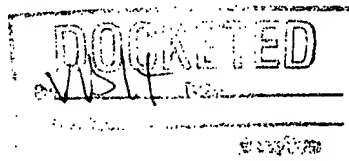
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THIS ASSIGNMENT, made by Centre National De La Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), a public agency operating under the supervisory authority of France's Ministry of Research and Technology, located at 3, Rue Michel-Ange 75794, Paris, Cedex 16, France, assigns to the L'Université Montpellier II (UMII), a Public Institution with cultural and professional vocation, located at 2 place Eugène Bataillon 34095 Montpellier Cedex 5, all rights received by CNRS from Jean-Louis Imbach by written assignment to the patents and patent applications listed in Attachment A. For avoidance of doubt, it is confirmed that this Assignment does not convey any of the ownership rights of CNRS arising out of the work of Dr. Gilles Gosselin in the patents and patent applications listed in Attachment A, and that the CNRS remains a co-assignee of all of the patents and patent applications listed in Attachment A by virtue of its ownership rights flowing from the work of Dr. Gilles Gosselin.

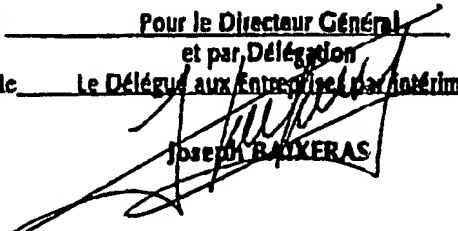
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Par le présent contrat, le Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS), établissement public agissant sous la tutelle du Ministre français chargé de la Recherche, situé au 3, Rue Michel-Ange, 75794, Paris Cedex 16, France, fait cession à l'Université Montpellier II (UMII), établissement public à caractère scientifique, culturel et professionnel, situé 2 place Eugène Bataillon, 34095 Montpellier Cedex 5, de l'ensemble des droits transférés par Monsieur Jean-Louis Imbach au CNRS en vertu d'un contrat de cession écrit, et afférents aux brevets et aux demandes de brevets listés à l'Annexe A. Il est précisé et confirmé que la présente cession ne porte aucunement sur les droits de propriété du CNRS résultant des travaux menés par le Docteur Gilles Gosselin dans les brevets et les demandes de brevets listés à l'Annexe A, et que le CNRS demeure co-cessionnaire de l'ensemble des brevets et demandes de brevets listés à l'Annexe A en vertu des droits de propriété générés par les travaux du Docteur Gilles Gosselin.

En conséquence de quoi, le Cédant ci-dessus mentionné a cédé et par les présentes cède et transfère au Cessionnaire ci-dessus mentionné l'intégralité des droits de propriété et de jouissance détenus par Monsieur Jean-Louis Imbach sur les dits Brevets, sur les inventions qu'ils représentent, et sur toute délivrance ("*reissues*"), tout renouvellement, tout divisionnaire, toute extension ("*continuation*") et toute autre demande revendiquant priorité sur ceux-ci ou dont la priorité est revendiquée sur ceux-ci, les brevets d'invention ("*letters Patent*") ou leurs "*continuations-in-part*", ou les titres correspondants étrangers, qui peuvent être consentis pour eux ou sur eux, pour toute la durée entière pour laquelle les dits brevets d'invention ("*Letters Patent*") peuvent être consentis, et toutes les demandes, requêtes, déclarations sous serment et cessions ou tout autre document ou acte qui peut être requis aux fins de donner plein effet à la cession et au transfert auquel il est procédé par les présentes ou auquel les parties ont souhaité procéder.

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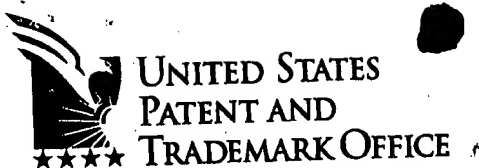
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NOV/1000 Provisional β-L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S. CON	8/10/98 04/28/99	Gilles Gosselin Jean-Louis Imbach	60096,110 60/131,352		
NOV/1000 Normal β-L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	8/10/99	Gilles Gosselin Jean-Louis Imbach Martin L. Bryant	09/371,747	6,395,716	5-28-02
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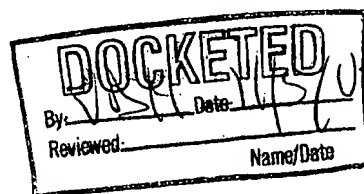
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Given under my hand and Seal at George Town in the Islands of Grand-Cayman this Twenty-Eighth day of May Two Thousand Two (SIGNED, H. DIXON)

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IDX 1003 Substituted 6-Benzyl-4- Oxypyrimidines, Process for Their Preparation and Pharmaceutical Compositions Containing Them	US	07/17/99	09/744,038		
IDX 1004 Methods for Treating Hepatitis Delta Virus Infection with β - L-2' Deoxy-Nucleosides	U.S. Prov.	5/29/00	60/207,538		
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IDX1006 Methods and Compositions for Treating Flaviviruses and Pestiviruses	U.S. Prov.	5/26/00 4/11/01	60/207,674 60/283,276		
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IDX1009 Methods for Inhibiting the Transmission of HIV Using Topically Applied Substituted 6-Benzyl-4-Oxopyrimidines	U.S. Prov.	11/17/00	60/249,532		
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IDX1013 Methods and Compositions for Treating Hepatitis C Virus	U.S. Prov.	9/28/01	60/326,184		
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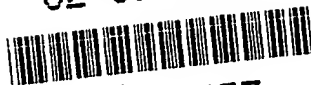
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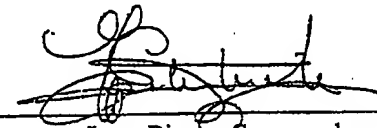
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It is hereby certified that:

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2. The name of the corporation immediately prior to the filing of this certificate of domestication pursuant to the provisions of Section 388 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware is Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
3. The name of the corporation as set forth in its certificate of incorporation to be filed concomitantly with this certificate of domestication in accordance with subsection (b) of Section 388 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware is Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
4. The jurisdiction that constituted the seat, siege social, or principal place of business or central administration of the corporation, or other equivalent thereto under applicable law immediately prior to the filing of this certificate of domestication pursuant to the provisions of Section 388 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware is the jurisdiction of the Cayman Islands.
5. The undersigned is a corporation, officer, director, trustee, manager, partner, or other person performing functions equivalent to those of an officer or director, however named or described, and is authorized to sign this certificate of domestication on behalf of the corporation.
6. This certificate of domestication shall be effective at 9:00 a.m. on May 30, 2002.

Dated: May 30, 2002



Jean Pierre Sommadossi
Chief Executive Officer,
Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

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IDX 1000 Provisional β -L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	8/10/98	60/096,110		
	CON	04/28/99	60/131,352		
IDX 1000 Normal β -L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	8/10/99	09/371,747	6,395,716	5/28/02
IDX 1000CON β -L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	12/14/01	10/022,276		
IDX/1000 CIP β -L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	12/10/99	09/459,150	6,444,652	9/3/02
IDX 1000 CIPCON β -L-2'-Deoxy- Nucleosides for the Treatment of Hepatitis B	U.S.	12/14/01	10/022,148		
IDX 1004 Methods for Treating Hepatitis Delta Virus Infection with β - L-2' Deoxy-Nucleosides	U.S. Prov.	5/29/00	60/207,538		
	U.S.	5/29/01	09/867,110		
IDX 1005 3'-Prodrugs of 2'-deoxy- β -L- Nucleosides	U.S. Prov.	6/15/00	60/212,100		
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IDX1006 Methods and Compositions for Treating Flaviviruses and Pestiviruses	U.S. Prov.	5/26/00 4/11/01	60/207,674 60/283,276		
	U.S.	5/26/01	09/863,816		
IDX1007 Methods and Compositions for Treating Hepatitis C Virus	U.S. Prov.	05/23/00	60/206,585		
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IDX1008 Phenylindoles For The Treatment Of HIV	U.S. Prov.	4/11/01	60/283,393		
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IDX1009 Methods for Inhibiting the Transmission of HIV Using Topically Applied Substituted 6-Benzyl-4- Oxopyrimidines	U.S. Prov.	11/17/00	60/249,532		
	U.S.	11/19/01	10/001,868		
IDX1013 Methods and Compositions for Treating Hepatitis C Virus	U.S. Prov.	9/28/01	60/326,184		
IDX1014 Methods and Compositions for Treating Flaviviruses and Pestiviruses	U.S. Prov.	9/28/01	60/326,192		

Registrar of Companies,
Tower Building,
Grand Cayman.

Dear Sir,

IDENIX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

I, Andrea J. Corcoran, of 61 Garfield Street, Cambridge, MA 0218, being a director of Idenix Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company"), an exempted company incorporated under the Companies Law (2001 Second Revision), DO HEREBY make application, pursuant to Section 226 of the Companies Law (2001 Second Revision) for the Company to be deregistered in the Cayman Islands.

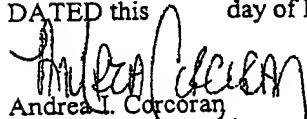
In support of this application:

1. I would advise that the Company has been accepted for domestication pursuant to Section 388 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, the United States of America. A copy of the Certificate of Domestication is attached to this application. I confirm that the laws of the State of Delaware, the United States of America permit the transfer of the Company to that jurisdiction and indeed that is the effect of the domestication procedure.
2. I enclose payment of US\$2,414.63 (CIS1980) in respect of the fee for deregistration.
3. I confirm that the Company does not propose to change its name following deregistration.
4. I confirm that the Company has no secured creditors.
5. I confirm that the Company is not and has never been licensed under the provisions of the Banks and Trust Companies Law, (2001 Revision) or the Insurance Law, (2001 Revision).

I attach to this application

1. a certified copy of the Special Resolution of the Company adopted on ___ May 2002 resolving to register the Company by way of continuation in the State of Delaware, the United States of America;
2. a certified copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company dated May 6, 2002 resolving to apply for deregistration pursuant to Section 226 of the Companies Law (2001 Second Revision) and authorising me to make this application on behalf of the Company; and
3. my affidavit in support of this application in the terms prescribed by section 226(3) of the Companies Law (2001 Second Revision).

DATED this day of May 2002



Andrea J. Corcoran
Director
IDENIX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Delaware

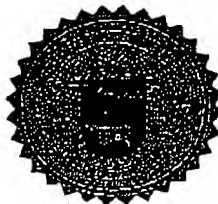
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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTICATION OF "IDENIX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE THIRTIETH DAY OF MAY, A.D. 2002, AT 8 O'CLOCK A.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE AFORESAID CERTIFICATE OF DOMESTICATION IS THE THIRTIETH DAY OF MAY, A.D. 2002, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.



Harriet Smith Windsor
Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State

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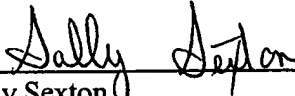
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DATE: 05-30-02

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR § 1.8a)

I hereby certify that this Recordation of Assignment, along with any other paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Box Assignment, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



Sally Sexton

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Date: January 30, 2003